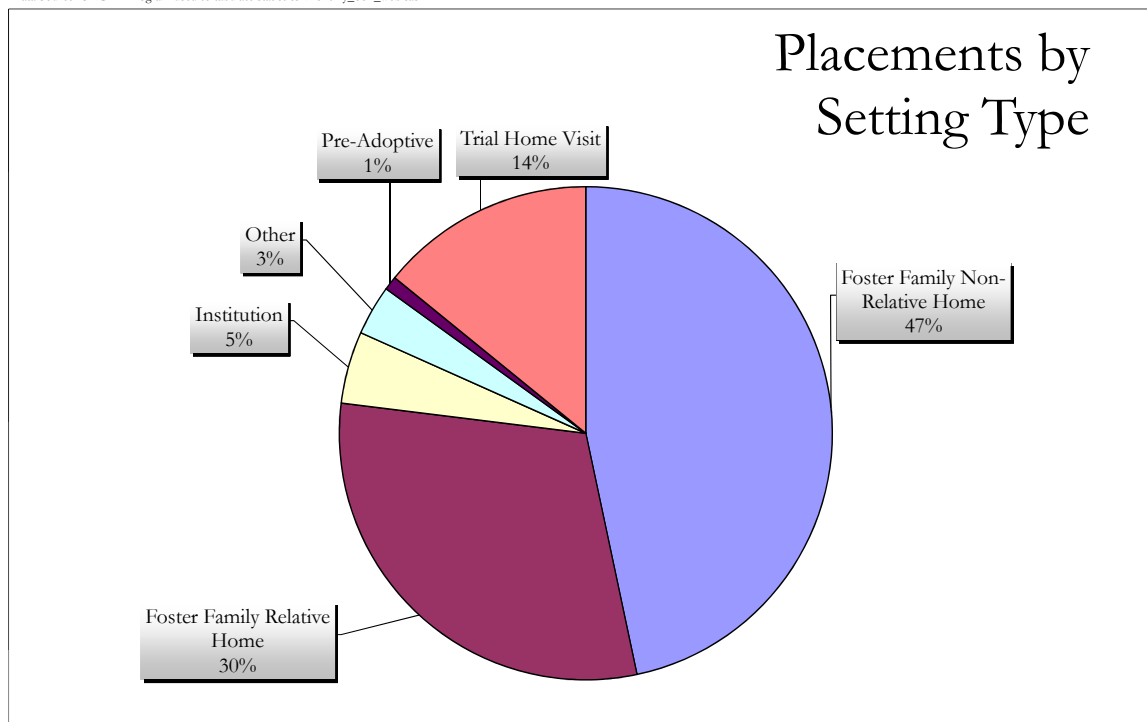


All Children in Alaska OCS Out-of-home placement on August 1, 2010, by Gender and Placement Setting.

Placement Setting	August 31, 2010		
	Male	Female	Total
Foster Family Non-Relative Home	451	418	869
Foster Family Relative Home	274	290	564
Institution	45	43	88
Other	28	33	61
Pre-Adoptive	8	9	17
Trial Home Visit	120	143	263
Total	926	936	1,862

Out-of-home placement is the last option considered when reasonable efforts to protect a child in his or her own home have been exhausted by OCS. The first preference considered in all out-of-home placements for a child or youth is a relative's home. When it is not possible to place a child with a relative it is necessary to place the child in a licensed foster home. Residential care facilities may offer short-term emergency shelter as well as more long-term residential treatment. A single child may experience more than one setting type in a given month.

Data Source: ORCA. Program used to tabulate statistics: monthly_ooh_web.sas.



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